

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Raymond G. Gallagher  
Application No. : 09/399,545  
Filed : September 20, 1999  
Title : SPACER FRAME FOR AN INSULATING UNIT  
HAVING STRENGTHENED SIDEWALLS TO  
RESIST TORSIONAL TWIST  
Group Art Unit : 3600  
Examiner : Robert Canfield  
Confirmation No. : 2392  
Customer No. : 24959  
Attorney Docket No. : 1185R1

**AMENDMENT AFTER ADVISORY ACTION  
BEFORE FILING OF AN APPEAL BRIEF**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Filed even date herewith is a Reissue Application Declaration By The Inventor. This AMENDMENT AFTER ADVISORY ACTION BEFORE FILING OF AN APPEAL BRIEF is in response to the final Office Action mailed March 2, 2010 and the Advisory Action Before Filing of an Appeal Brief mailed April 21, 2010.

There are no **AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION.**

**AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS** begins on page 2 of this document.

There are no **AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS.**

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